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## CARRIZO TO BE INCORPORATED

Petition Circulated by Local Business Men Has Received Hearty Reception at the Hands of the Voters

### PETITION TO BE PRESENTED TO COMMISSIONERS MONDAY

As we go to press this issue, we take pleasure in announcing to the world that Carrizozo is destined to soon leave the ranks of unincorporated and take its rightful place among the recognized and duly incorporated towns of New Mexico. Our announcement is justified by the hearty reception which a petition, circulated by progressive business men, has received at the hands of the voters within the proposed corporate limits of the town of Carrizozo. The final papers are now in process of being drafted preparatory to presentation to the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County when they convene to do business next Monday morning.

There were a number of considerations which demand this move without further procrastination. Progressive citizens and wide awake business men have long wanted to see the town assume the role of incorporation, but the benefits to accrue were either minimized or went unnoticed. But now that the little city contemplates to spread itself in such convincing persistence, new business projects are being put on foot, and the need of substantial public works is made evident, even the most skeptical, when the question was agitated some years ago, are now its most ardent supporters, and they have come to realize that all that is worth while here can best be fostered by a systematic administration of local affairs under a full incorporation.

Still a further possibility an extreme probability is that to continue unincorporated might eventually handicap the growth and proper maintenance of a standard high school in Carrizozo. This assertion is based on certain complaints made by an E. P. & S. W. attorney before the State Tax Commission, at its last meeting in Santa Fe and while the attorney decided to accede this time to the levy made, certain plans for local enlargement and improvement in school facilities were without doubt seriously impaired by objection from this quarter. In short the aspirations of local school authorities had to be materially altered by existing circumstances. The objection was based solely upon the fact that Carrizozo was not an incorporated town, and that the railroad company was paying taxes for the higher education of the youth of the county at Capitlan, all of which was only too true. To prevent the inevitable recurrence of this objection, it behooves every loyal citizen of this community to register a vote for incorporation on election day. Watch for the date the commissioners shall designate and do your duty by yourself and your neighbors.

If we are not greatly in error, Carrizozo is the only town in New Mexico of anywhere near its size which is not incorporated. Many little burghs much smaller than this place have realized certain benefits to come to a town of even a few hundred from an organized city government. A commendable demand upon this occasion of incorporation is a complete and full dose of the thing, and the papers presented for the consideration of the Board of Commissioners specify fully the complete incorporation sought for Carrizozo has never done things by halves, and now that this important milestone toward the goal of progress is soon to be passed, let us plan and work with an unprecedented co-operation of a bigger and better Carrizozo.

### THE INHUMAN BRUTE

A number of Carrizozo's most valuable dogs have fallen victims to the ire of some person whose identity is carefully concealed of course. There are few dogs in Carrizozo without acknowledged owners, and such a procedure as has been taken to getting revenge against the genus canis in general is absolutely nothing short of criminality the wanton destruction of the rightful property of another and should be dealt with by due process of law, all due efforts being put forth to apprehend this low-lived two-legged the same as any other flagrant violator of the law of the land. We believe that such a person is low enough to destroy human life in some such underhanded way, if occasion made it possible to escape the clutches of the law. There are other ways to dispatch undesirable canines without resorting to promiscuous slaughter of all dogs who have an appetite.

### SCHOOL NOTES

Two of the very latest editions of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, with the most approved type of holders have been received this week and promptly installed as a part of the equipment of the school. The High school department was accorded one of the new reference works while the other was installed in the 7th and 8th grade room.

If enthusiasm and consistent practice count for anything, the minstrel show which the high school boys propose, to offer to the public next Friday night is going to be a record breaker for success. Many will remember the hearty reception which the boys received on a similar occasion three years ago, and will be interested to know that this performance bids fair to excel anything the boys have ever staged. Several new songs have been introduced to swell the ranks of mirth-provokers, so make your plans to attend this performance without fail.

### KILLED BY TRAIN

Frank E. Richard is just in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Richard, who was called to Wellington, Kan., by her mother's death, which states that death came from a collision with a Rock Island freight train at Wellington. The buggy in which she was riding was carried several yards by the fearful impact.

## CHARGED WITH STEALING TUNGSTEN ORE

H. H. and F. G. Newbury are in Jail Charged With Stealing a Quantity of Tungsten Ore at White Oaks

### ORE RECOVERED AT NEWBURY HOME BY J. B. BAIRD

H. H. and F. G. Newbury were taken in custody last Tuesday by Undersheriff J. B. Baird and brought to this place from White Oaks to answer to the charge of having stolen a quantity of tungsten ore from the White Oaks Mines Consolidated Company of the latter place. The day previous H. H. Newbury had been a Carrizozo visitor to answer before Justice Massie for a complaint relative to this charge of having spirited away the valuable rock from the possession of its rightful possessors, but insufficient evidence was evinced by the trial to incriminate the prisoner and he was set at liberty in due time. Upon his dismissal the plaintiff swore out a search warrant to further probe the suspicious nature of the case. Deputy Baird was again put on the job and steered his car to the Newbury place, about a mile from White Oaks to put his warrant into execution. We do not know whether Mr. Baird has ever done any prospecting, or even has mining proclivities, but he certainly knows how to find the ore, since a careful search disclosed ten sacks of high grade tungsten concealed beneath the floor, valued at \$2000.

Accordingly the two brothers and the ore in question were brought to Carrizozo Tuesday, as stated above. H. H. Newbury, upon arraignment before Judge Massie, entered a plea of guilty and his bond was fixed at \$1500. In default of the stipulated bond, the accused was remanded to the county jail to await the action of the District Court regarding the charges against him. The case against F. G. Newbury will come up for trial here tomorrow. The former was until recently in the employ of the plaintiff, viz., the White Oaks Mines Consolidated Company, but had been summarily dismissed. However, it is thought that he had assistance, other than his brother, in spiriting away the tungsten, and it is believed that others will be eventually implicated as the result of a thorough investigation now in progress.

### AUTO BUSINESS GOOD

Automobile business is certainly on the hum in Carrizozo. We have quit trying to keep up with the new ones. Nor would we try to mention those who have bought within the last week or ten days, for we'd be sure to omit several. Local dealers have been conspicuous in the sale of Overlands and Dodges but El Paso distributors have also landed some Buick sixes in our midst. Simply another index finger pointing straight to prosperity.

### PUMPMAN AT COYOTE INJURED

Pumpman Bethea of Coyote sustained a severe shake-up last week when his gasoline bus-car left the rails when going at a rapid pace. Mr. Bethea is able to be about to the gratification of his many friends.

## CHICKEN PIE SUPPER SUCCESS

In spite of the very inclement weather, the chicken pie dinner given by the ladies of the Methodist Church was a pronounced success. In a driving gale, augmented later in the evening with a blinding whirl of snow, Sam Fambrough, with his trusty Overland, did excellent service for the cause, transporting load after load of people to and from the church who would otherwise have been unable to attend. Much credit is due Mr. Fambrough for his generous contribution to the success of the dinner. Besides chicken pie, a menu of creamed potatoes, fruit salad, coffee, ice cream and assorted cake was served. Practically all of the articles of food prepared found a ready sale, and upwards of thirty dollars was realized and the gross receipts of the evening.

### OUT ON BOND

Guillermo Salazar faced Justice Massie yesterday afternoon to answer to a charge of brandishing a deadly weapon with one Hilario Lucero as the object. Taken into custody, after a season of festivity extending into the morning hours, incriminating evidence was forthcoming. Preliminary trial, however was waived and the bond was fixed at \$500 which was duly furnished and his release from custody accomplished.

### CAMPAIGN CARDS

Candidates for the various offices who are now entering the field will please bear in mind that the Outlook is prepared to print candidates cards on short notice. We have just received a large stock of cards and can furnish them in any size up to the large tack up cards. Half-tone cuts will also be secured for all who desire them.

### ENTERTAINS PASTIMERS

Mrs. E. D. Lewis was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Pastimers and a representative membership enjoyed a season of fancy work, punctuated with plenty of music and culminated with refreshments. Mrs. Wm. Chisholm was a visitor. Mrs. Bert Mahan will entertain the Club at its next regular meeting.

### NEW AUTO DELIVERY

The Carrizozo Trading Co., true to its progressive principles, is now delivering cars and other merchandise in a canopy-topped auto delivery van. Ziegler Brothers and Patty & Hobbs have also recognized the auto for some time as a business proposition, and old Dobbin may be reasonably sure that his rest will not be disturbed by a return to the old regime for the success of the stunt is unquestioned and the experimental stage is past.

### SENATOR FALL HONORED

Washington, D. C., March 29.—In the election of officers of the national republican congressional committee today Senator Fall, New Mexico, was chosen vice chairman, Representative Wood, of Iowa, was elected chairman.

For Rent:—Two nicely furnished sleeping rooms; close in. Enquire Outlook.

## BELL'S STORE AGAIN BURGLARIZED

Burglarizing the Stores of Carrizozo Seems to be an Easy Task for the Thief and of Frequent Occurrence

### THEY HELP THEMSELVES AND WALK OUT UNMOLESTED

At an unknown hour last night a burglar entered the grocery store of John E. Bell, effecting entrance by breaking a pane of glass in a rear window. Having gained entrance into the store, the bar which holds the rear door fast was easily removed and the open door made the rest of the depredation a simple matter for the intruder. Some twelve or fifteen dollars worth of merchandise was taken and the cash register rifled of some three dollars it contained. Officers were duly notified of the theft, but up to the time of going to press no one has been apprehended of the crime. Mr. Bell is positive, however it is the work of local parties, since perfect familiarity with the surroundings has been indicated.

Last week's Outlook contained the account of a burglary against this business house, but entrance was effected on this occasion by climbing over a transom which had been left open after scrubbing the floor just before closing. Evidently the intruder of last night was a Bryanite as he went strong on grape juice helping himself to some five bottles of the popular beverage.

We feel sure that this outrage, and the memory of others too numerous to mention, will cause the people of this community to look forward with genuine satisfaction to the time when Carrizozo will be fully incorporated and systematic provision made for a competent night watchman to protect the interests of its merchants when thugs and dead-beats are on the job. Be at the polls on election day and cast your vote for a stride toward the goal of effective patrol of our streets so that these burglaries will at least be less blaring if not wholly eradicated.

### TO GIVE MINSTREL

On Friday evening, April 7, one week from tonight, the boys of the Carrizozo High School will pull a minstrel show which bids fair to be the reigning stunt of the season. Three years ago these boys showed that they could sing, stamp and get the laughs like seasoned veterans. Now they propose to show that they can come back, and even stronger than before, with a new stock of local hits, popular songs, quartettes and choruses, which would get a rise from a wooden man. Hear the big specialties, "Lindy", "It Takes a Little Rain with Sunshine", "Can't Yo' Hear Me Callin'?" "Caroline!", and you auto bugs get next to that benzine buggy hit, "I Didn't Raise My Ford to be a Jitney." Come hear you or your neighbor get a little joke pulled off at his expense. The prices are popular, 25 and 35 cents. Remember the date and come. The boys will do the rest.